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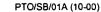
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X	Application No. 09/921,28	<u>85,</u> filed on <u>Au</u>	igust 1, 2001,	
	as amended on	_ (if applicabl	e);	
I/we believe that I/we am/are the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought;				
I/we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above;				
I/we acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to me/us to be material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56, including material information which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the National or PCT International filing date of the continuation-in-part application, if applicable; and				
All statements made herein of my/our own knowledge are true, all statements made herein on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001, and may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.				
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Signature:		Citizen of:	United States	
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#### ASSIGNMENT OF PATENT APPLICATION

**JOINT** 

WHEREAS, Richard Cerami of 2440 South Jackson Street, Denver, CO 80210; Timothy Figueroa of 15231 East Hialeah Place, Denver, CO 80015; Roxanna Storaasli of 651 Forest Street, Denver, CO 80220; hereinafter referred to as "Assignors," are the inventors of the invention described and set forth in the belowidentified application for United States Letters Patent:

Title of Invention:

PROVISIONING SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR AUTO-DISCOVERING CUSTOMER PREMISES EQUIPMENT IN

**ACTIVATING xDSL** 

Date(s) of execution of Declaration:

Filing Date:

August 1, 2001

Application No.:

09/921,285; and

WHEREAS, Qwest Communications International, Inc., a corporation of the state of Delaware, located at Law Department, 1801 California Street, Suite 3800, Denver, CO, 80202-2658, hereinafter referred to as "ASSIGNEE," is desirous of acquiring an interest in the invention and application and in any U.S. Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted on the same;

For good and valuable consideration, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged by Assignors, Assignors have assigned, and by these presents do assign to Assignee all right, title and interest in and to the invention and application and to all foreign counterparts (including patent, utility model and industrial designs), and in and to any Letters Patent and Registrations which may hereafter be granted on the same in the United States and all countries throughout the world, and to claim the priority from the application as provided by the Paris Convention. The right, title and interest is to be held and enjoyed by Assignee and Assignee's successors and assigns as fully and exclusively as it would have been held and enjoyed by Assignors had this Assignment not been made, for the full term of any Letters Patent and Registrations which may be granted thereon, or of any division, renewal, continuation in whole or in part, substitution, conversion, reissue, prolongation or extension thereof.

Assignors further agree that they will, without charge to Assignee, but at Assignee's expense, (a) cooperate with Assignee in the prosecution of U.S. Patent applications and foreign counterparts on the invention and any improvements, (b) execute, verify, acknowledge and deliver all such further papers, including patent applications and instruments of transfer, and (c) perform such other acts as Assignee lawfully may request to obtain or maintain Letters Patent and Registrations for the invention and improvements in any and all countries, and to vest title thereto in Assignee, or Assignee's successors and assigns.

Assignors hereby authorize and request Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP, Two Embarcadero Center, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, San Francisco, CA 94111-3834, to insert herein above the application number and filing date of said application when known.

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IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, Assignors have signed their names on the dates indicated.

Dated:			
	— <u>—</u>		Richard Cerami
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